

# Bedlington Terrier

This breed has one of the most difficult coats to work with because it is very soft and mats quickly.

Ears need to be clipped with a blade on the shortest setting. Ears are very difficult to clip, so go very slowly and keep your fingers under the edge of the ears at all times so you do not cut the edge. You will need to do the same to the inside.

Use a #4 or #5 guide comb all over, going in the direction the coat grows. Although the coat is curly, always go downward, going in reverse is more difficult and could make the coat too short.

The sides of the face and throat can be clipped with the clipper set on the longer blade setting, going against the grain to get all the hair off in this area. Take all the hair off the bottom part of the jaw as well.

The tail is trimmed with the same blade used on the face. Leave about  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the base so it blends with the body.

